# Murfreesboro Police Department

#### Media Release

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## **Serious Injury Crash Investigation**

At 6:30 a.m. this morning officers were called to N.W. Broad Street near 2250 N.W. Broad Street in reference to a serious injury vehicle crash.

After a preliminary investigation, investigators believe a blue Dodge Caravan (Vehicle 1) was traveling northwest on Broad Street, lost control of the vehicle and struck a silver Olds Alero (Vehicle 2), also traveling northwest on Broad Street. Vehicle 1 then crossed the median into the southeast lanes of Broad Street. A black Honda Odyssey (Vehicle 3) was traveling southeast on Broad Street and struck Vehicle 1 on the passenger side.

The driver of Vehicle 1 and a passenger in Vehicle 3 suffered severe injuries and were flown by Life Flight to Vanderbilt Medical Center. The driver and two additional passengers from vehicle 3 were also transported to Vanderbilt by ambulance with minor injuries. The driver of Vehicle 2 was not injured.

The FACT Team is investigating the crash.

#### Vehicle 1

Driver: Jeffrey Barrett, 1-26-80, 1306 W. Northfield Blvd. Murfreesboro, TN

#### Vehicle 2

Driver: Paul Underwood, 6-4-56, 1535 Lascassas Hwy. Murfreesboro, TN

### Vehicle 3

Driver: Martha Carpenter, 3-15-57, 7713 Whitcombe Drive Powell, TN

Passengers: Chester Carpenter Jr. 5-24-52, Powell, TN

Zachary Carpenter, 5-10-96, Powell, TN William Carpenter, 5-10-96, Powell, TN